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Message Cover Sheet

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RE: Kash N' Gold Recalls Tinker Bell Novelty Lamps Due to Violation of Lead

Paint Standard

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Please see the attached product recall issued by CPSC. The product (Tinker Bell Lamps) is manufactured by Kash N' Gold Ltd., of Deer Park, N.Y. The surface paint on the lamps contains excessive levels of lead, violating the federal lead paint standard. Lead is toxic if ingested by young children and can cause adverse health effects.

The recalled Tinker Bell lamp has model "Tinker Bell Lamp" printed on the bottom of the lamp. The lamp has a sculpted Tinker Bell in a flower garden with an animation of Tinker Bell swaying back and forth while music plays when the light switch or demo button is depressed.

Electronic and appliance retailers nationwide, including Lowe's from January 2007 through October 2007 for about \$40. They were manufactured in Hong Kong.

Please see the recall notice for specific information for consumers and contact information for the company. You may also contact the CT Department of Public Health Lead Poisoning Prevention & Control Program at 860-509-7299.

NEWS from CPSC

U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission

Office of Information and Public Affairs

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CPSC Recall Hotline: (800) 638-2772

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Kash N' Gold Recalls Tinker Bell Novelty Lamps Due to Violation of Lead Paint Standard

WASHINGTON, D.C. - The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission, in cooperation with the firm named below, today announced a voluntary recall of the following consumer product. Consumers should stop using recalled products immediately unless otherwise instructed.

Name of Product: Tinker Bell Lamps

Units: 60,000

Manufacturer: Kash N' Gold Ltd., of Deer Park, N.Y.

Hazard: The surface paint on the lamps contains excessive levels of lead, violating the federal

lead paint standard.

Incidents/Injuries: None reported.

Description: The recalled Tinker Bell lamp has model "Tinker Bell Lamp" printed on the bottom of the lamp. The lamp has a sculpted Tinker Bell in a flower garden with an animation of Tinker Bell swaying back and forth while music plays when the light switch or demo button is depressed.

Sold at: Electronic and appliance retailers nationwide, including Lowe's from January 2007

through October 2007 for about \$40.

Manufactured in: Hong Kong

Remedy: Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled lamps and return them to the store where purchased for a refund or contact the firm to receive a Kash N' Gold merchandise credit.

Consumer Contact: For additional information, contact Kash N' Gold at (800) 354-8785 between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m Monday through Friday or visit the firm's Web site at www.kngamerica.com

